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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR MESSAGES FROM PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY

SITUATION HIGHLY VOLATILE WITH OUR PEOPLE STILL HELD VIRTUAL PRISONERS AT KM 6 HOUSING AND USAID COMPOUNDS. WE HAVE BEEN PRESSING STEADILY PRIMIN AND FONMIN BUT IT CLEAR THAT PL ARE DETERMINED TO CONTINUE EXERTING MAXIMUM PRESSURES. WHILE I HOPE OUR INFORMING PGNU THAT U.S. PREPARED TO CLOSE USAID IMMEDIATELY WILL DEFUSE SITUATION, I BELIEVE THAT OUR EFFORTS NEED BE SUPPORTED BY HIGH-LEVEL USG EXPRESSION OF CONCERN. SPECIFICALLY, I BELIEVE WE SHOULD RAISE QUESTION WHETHER PGNU PREPARED TO ABIDE BY PROVISIONS OF VIENNA CONVENTION GOVERNING DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS AMONG COUNTRIES. WE ARE SENDING NOTE TO THAT EFFECT. REQUEST THEREFORE THAT MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT TO KING AND PRIMIN AND ONE FROM YOU TO FONMIN WOULD BE HELPFUL.
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